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11. (SBU) The Ambassador raised the Government of Bolivia's suspension of operations by the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) with Foreign Minister Jaime Bermudez this month. Additionally, on November 12, post delivered points in reftel to MFA Director for U.S. and Canadian Affairs Patricia Cortes. Cortes thanked us for the points and said she would pass on the information. She noted Colombia is a member of the Bolivian Group of Friends, but that the group had not met in some time and that there were no plans to meet in the near future. She promised to inform us if the GOC decided to take action on the issue.
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